RESOLUTION 11-2022

A RESOLUTION APPOINTING THE IGNACIO MUNICIPAL COURT JUDGE

WHEREAS, C.R.S. 13-10-105 states the Municipal Court Judge shall be appointed by the Town of Ignacio Board of Trustees; and

WHEREAS, Resolution 09-2020 was approved on October 12, 2020, by the Town of Ignacio Board of Trustees and effectively designated James A. Shaner as the Municipal Court Judge for a two (2) year term; and

WHEREAS, Judge Shaner served as Municipal Court Judge during this 2-year time period and previously tendered his resignation; and

WHEREAS, the Town advertised a Request for Qualifications for a new Municipal Court Judge and only received three (3) submission; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board of Trustees convened an interview committee to review and interview the three candidates for the Municipal Court Judge position; and

WHEREAS, the interview committee completed interviews on October 13th, and unanimously recommend Sarah Delaine Simchowitz for the Town of Ignacio Municipal Court Judge position.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Ignacio, Colorado as follows:

- 1. Appoints Sarah Delaine Simchowitz as the Ignacio Municipal Court Judge for a two (2) year term commencing on November 01, 2022.
- 2. Compensation will be \$275 per court appearance, which will be confirmed one (1) week in advance of scheduled court dates by the Court Administrator and dependent on issued citations and other Municipal Court business or matters. A travel reimbursement for each appearance will be paid at \$75 per appearance.
- 3. Jury trials will be paid at an hourly rate of \$80 per hour.

PASSED and APPROVED, this 24th day of October, 2022, by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Ignacio, Colorado.

Town of Ignacio

Clark Craig, Mayor

ATTEST:

Tuggy Dunton, Town Clerk